

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of  
SASAKI et al.

Group Art Unit: not assigned

Appln. No.: not assigned

Examiner: not assigned

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FOR: FINE HOLLOW POWDER, THIN FLAKY TITANIUM OXIDE POWDER OBTAINED  
BY PULVERIZATION OF THE FINE HOLLOW POWDER AND PROCESSES FOR  
PRODUCING THE SAME

March 1, 2000

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Attached is Form PTO-1449 listing the enclosed documents .

Each enclosed document listed on the herewith Form PTO-1449 was cited in the  
attached International Search Report dated 15 December 1998, issued in a foreign  
counterpart application. See that report for the degree of relevance (category) of each  
document and for the particular passages cited therefor.

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Examiner find any part of its required content to have been omitted, prompt notice to that  
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Applicant to comply fully.

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Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider each of the documents supplied herewith. It is furthermore respectfully requested that the Examiner confirm the careful and independent consideration in the next official communication by return of an initialed and dated PTO-1449 form in accordance with the provisions of MPEP 609.

Respectfully submitted,

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